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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: S. TOGASHI, et al.
Application No.: 10/621,343
Filed: July 18, 2003
For: FUEL INJECTION VALVE AND INTERNAL COMBUSTION
ENGINE MOUNTING THE SAME
Art Unit: 3752
Examiner: T. H. Bui

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 20, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 19, 2004, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims;

Remarks are included following the amendments;

Appendix A providing a marked copy of Fig. 7; and

Appendix B providing a marked copy of Haltiner.